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Lower Half Body Module of Bipedal Walking Robot

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Nakano-ku, Tokyo, 165-0024 JAPAN, respectively, hereinafter called assignor(s), have invented
certain improvements in LOWER HALF BODY MODULE OF BIPEDAL WALKING ROBOT and executed
an application for Letters Patent of the United States of America therefor on
; and

Whereas, Tmsuk Co., Ltd. and Atsuo TAKANISHI of 7-8, Kimachi 1-chome, Kokurakita-ku, Kitakyushu-shi, Fukuoka, 803-0851 JAPAN and 2-19-9-216, Matsugaoka, Nakano-ku, Tokyo, 165-0024 JAPAN, respectively, (assignee), desire to acquire the entire right, title, and interest in the application and invention, and to any United States patents to be obtained therefor;

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